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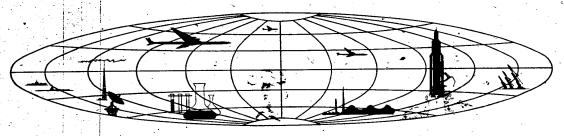


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PREFACE

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PROBABLE AMMUNITION STORAGE \$2.94E (42-10N 043-44E)

KUTÄISI, GRUZINSKAYA SSR, USSR TRANSCAUCASUS MD

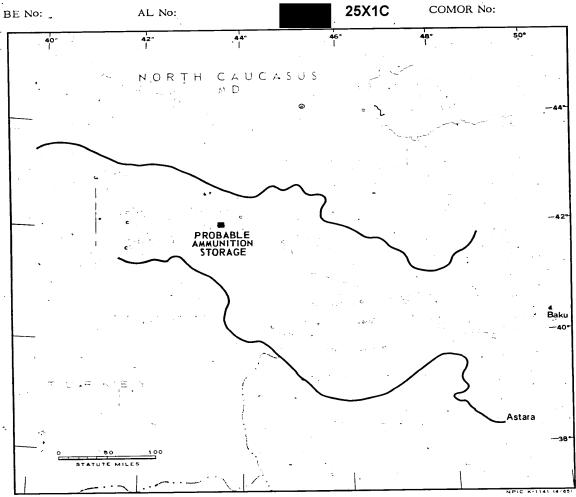


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF PROBABLE AMMUNITION STORAGE.



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SUMMARY

This probable ammunition storage facility is located 12 kilometers (km) south-south fast of Kutaisi (Figure 1).

The area is secured and served by hardsurfaced roads. It covers approximately 100 acres and contains 8 storage, 4 support, and 2 barracks/administration buildings (Figures 2 and 3).

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There was no significant change during that period.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The Samtredia-Zestafoni railroad passes 4 km north of this installation.

Road Service

The installation is served by hard-surfaced roads.

Aircraft Landing Strip

The Kutaisi airfield is located 16 km north-northwest.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 2 multistory barracks/ administration buildings and 3 single-story support buildings.

Ammunition Storage Areas

Area F contains eight 35- by 130-foot storage buildings and 1 single-story support building.

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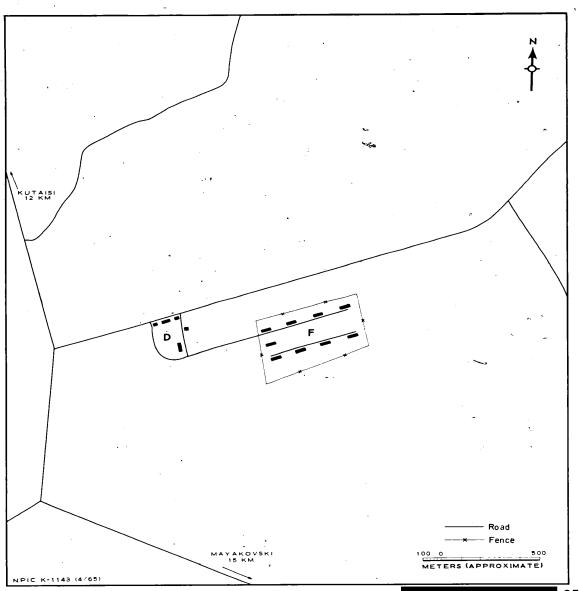


FIGURE 3. PROBABLE AMMUNITION STORAGE. Sketch compiled from

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